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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Federal Communications Commission The Portals, TW-A325 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation – GN Docket No. 09-191, WC Docket No. 07-52, and GN Docket No. 10-127.

In the Matter of Preserving the Open Internet; Broadband Industry Practices and Framework for Broadband Internet Service

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Monday, July 26, 2010, Wendy Wigen (on behalf of EDUCAUSE), Corey Williams (on behalf of the American Library Association), Brandon Butler (on behalf of the Association of Research Libraries) and the undersigned (on behalf of EDUCAUSE and the American Library Association) met with Ed Lazarus and Zach Katz to discuss the proposed classification of broadband Internet access services and "net neutrality." Consistent with the comments filed by ARL, ALA and EDUCAUSE in the above dockets, the parties made the following points:

- 1. Public institutions dedicated to public access, education and research have a large stake in the outcome of the FCC's deliberations on the classification of broadband Internet access services. Libraries and higher education both generate important educational content, and also make access to the Internet available to millions of students and the general public every day.
- 2. ALA, ARL and EDUCAUSE support the adoption of enforceable policies to preserve an open Internet. Preserving the openness of the Internet is essential to protect the free flow of information, to ensure that millions of unemployed, disabled, low-income and other disadvantages people have access to the Internet, and to ensure that educational content is widely available. Otherwise, entertainment will receive priority over education.
- 3. ALA, ARL and EDUCAUSE support the goal of the National Broadband Plan to ensure that all anchor institutions in every community have at least a 1 Gbps connection.



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4. ALA, ARL and EDUCAUSE believe the "Third Way" is a realistic approach to preserving the FCC's authority over broadband.

Sincerely,

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